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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : William L. Thomas  
Application No. : 09/809,922  
Confirmation No. : 7120  
Filed : March 16, 2001  
For : SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR PRESENTING A  
LOTTERY INTERFACE IN AN INTERACTIVE  
WAGERING APPLICATION  
Art Unit : 3714  
Examiner : Jason Skaarup

New York, New York 10020  
January 26, 2006

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to respond to the Examiner's Action dated July 26, 2005. With the extension, a response is due on or before January 26, 2006.

Please charge \$1020.00, in payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) for other than a small entity, to Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. 003043.0038. The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account

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No. 06-1075, Order No. 003043.0038. A duplicate copy of this  
Petition is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Alex Shvarts", written over a horizontal line.

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